Friday, December 22, 2017

RACE 1:
6 – Mr. Papillon
3 – Captain Kitt
2 – Mike Muscle Man
SELECTIONS: 6-3-2-7

RACE 2:
6 – Ed's Rocket
7 – Zing Zing
2 – Wizard Willie
SELECTIONS: 6-7-2-5

RACE 3:
3 – Jaiden's Best
5 – Paden
2 – Fearless Dragon
SELECTIONS: 3-5-2-6

RACE 4:
2 – Wage Acceleration
7 – Southern Greatness
3 – Sumner
SELECTIONS: 2-7-3-6

RACE 5:
2 – Break Away
1 – Diplomatic
3 – Arella Princess
SELECTIONS: 2-1-3-9

RACE 6:
7 – Little Baker
1 – Swagger
6 – Padilla
SELECTIONS: 7-1-6-5

RACE 7:
5 – Here's to Mike
6 – Tale of Fancy
3 – Ousby
SELECTIONS: 5-6-3-9

RACE 8:
8 – U S Soldier
2 – Miago
7 – Rogue Patriot
SELECTIONS: 8-2-7-4

RACE 9:
10 – Savingtime
4 – What About Tonight
6 – Truge
SELECTIONS: 10-4-6-7

RACE 10:
9 – Speedy Slew
6 – Guatemala City
1 – First Goal
SELECTIONS: 9-6-1-4

BEST BET: Race 4 - #2 Wage Acceleration
The one time this colt was exposed for a tag, it was in a high level claiming race at Saratoga, where he showed improved early speed and was beaten just a nose. The maiden special weight to maiden claiming move on the turf is a strong one for Chad Brown, at 35% over the past 5 years.

LONGSHOT: Race 8 - #4 Ain't My Fault
This gelding has only ever run on the synthetic surface up at Woodbine and this will be his first time on a dirt track of this kind. However, he is by Trappe Shot and the dam's 3 wins were on dirt. Trainer Nicholas Gonzalez does very well with his Gulfstream shippers in general, although he is still looking for his first win this meet. However, he reaches out for Tyler Gaffalione and this horse has been working well locally.